(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
11.	Mysore	554.862	717.686
12.	Orissa	11.447	16.515
13.	Pepsu	20.246	3.252
14.	Punjab (I)	190.189	322.842
15.	Rajasthan	49.714	69.899
16.	Saurashtra	56.594	68.100
17.	Travancore Cochin	254.125	343.003
18.	Uttar Pradesh	512.082	651.665
19.	West Bengal	1,530.479	1,638.538
	TOTAL	7,111.011	8,592.451

Lack of Industries .In Backward Area due to Power Shortage

2358. SHRI SHIV PRATAP MISHRA : Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the backward areas are not being developed in the field of industry on account of power shortage;

(b) if so, the details thereof and what steps Government propose to take in this regard;

(c) whether it is also a fact that major private industrial Groups are not inclined to set up their industries due to power shortage in the backward areas; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and what action Government propose to take for providing electricity in the backward areas *1*

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRT KALP NATH RAI) : (a) to (d) Setting up of industries/Industrial protection performance of industries depends upon various factors such as availability of raw material. demand for the product, industrial relations, management efficiency etc. and power shortage is only one of the contributing factors. Power supply to various categories of consumers falls under the distribution system of State and is the prerogative of the State Govt./SEB. State-wise Power Supply Position during April-Oct. 92 is given in the Statement *(see* below). However, various measures are being taken to improve the availability of power such as expediting commissioning of new generating capacity, implementation of shorter gestation projects, improving the performance of existing power stations, reduction of Transmission and Distribution losses, implementation of demand management and energy conservation measures, arranging transfer of energy from surplus to deficit areas etc.

Statement

Actual Power Supply Position for April 92—*October* 92.

(Figures in MU net)

Region/State/System	April 92—October 92			
	Requirement	Availability	Shortage	(%)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
NORTHERN REGION				
Chandigarh	380	380	0	0.0
Delhi	6168	6124	44	0.7
Haryana	6770	6608	162	2.4
Himachal Pradesh	869	869	0	0.0

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Jammu & Kashmir	1940	1661	279	14.4
Punjab	11870	11261	609	5.1
Rajasthan	7527	7368	159	2.1
Uttar Pradesh	18830	16648	2182	11.6
Total (N.R.)	54354	50919	3435	26.3
WESTERN REGION				
Gujarat	14655	14277	378	2.6
Madhya Pradesh	11759	10692	1067	9.1
Maharashtra	24925	23387	1538	6.2
Goa	438	438	0	0.0
Total (W.R.)	51777	48794	2983	5.8
SOUTHERN REGION				
Andhra Pradesh	14455	13289	1166	8.1
Karnataka	11660	8850	2810	24.1
Kerala	4390	4195	195	4.
Tamil Nadu	14285	14052	233	1.6
Total (S.R.)	44790	40386	4404	9.8
EASTERN REGION				
Bihar	4705	2881	1824	38.8
D.V.C.	4395	3323	1072	24.4
Orissa	4790	4103	687	14.3
West Bengal	7065	6551	514	7.3
Total (E.R.)	20955	16858	4097	19.6
NORTH-EASTERN REGION				
A.P.	95.2	66.5	28.7	30.1
Assam	1432.8	1197.7	235.1	16.4
Manipur	159.3	128.2	31.1	19.5
Meghalaya	153.4	147.6	5.8	3.8
Mizoram	60.2	46.7	13.5	22.4
Nagaland	83.8	67.3	16.5	19.7
Tripura	168.3	131.0	37.3	22.2
Total (N E R)	2153.0	1785.0	368.0	17.1
ALL-INDIA	174029	158742	15287	8.8